DANIEL G. BOGDEN 1 United States Attorney District of Nevada CRISTINA D. SILVA Assistant United States Attorney 3 Nevada Bar No. 13760 501 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Suite 1100 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101 Tel: 702-388-6336 Fax: 702-388-5087 5 Cristina.silva@usdoj.gov 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 7 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 8 -000-9 United States of America, 10 Case No. 2:13-cr-00138-LDG-CWH Plaintiff, 11 MOTION TO DISMISS **INDICTMENT** 12 vs. ANTHONY WILLIAM LOPEZ, 13 Defendant. 14 15 The United States of America, by and through DANIEL G. BOGDEN, United 16 States Attorney, and CRISTINA D. SILVA, Assistant United States Attorney, for 17 the reasons set forth herein, files this motion to dismiss the indictment without 18 prejudice against defendant ANTHONY WILLIAM LOPEZ. 19 On April 5, 2013, the defendant, ANTHONY WILLIAM LOPEZ, was 20 1. charged by complaint with a violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 21 22 875(c). Doc. #1. 23 2. On April 16, 2013, a federal grand jury returned an indictment against

the defendant charging him with the same violation of federal law. Doc. #9.

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- 3. On July 11, 2013, upon agreement of the parties, United States Magistrate Judge Carl W. Hoffman entered an order for the defendant to have a psychiatric/psychological evaluation (Doc. #20), after which the defendant received said evaluation at a Bureau of Prison's (BOP) facility in Springfield, Missouri. The defendant was subsequently determined to be incompetent. Accordingly, the parties stipulated to further commitment in the BOP facility to determine if his competency could be restored. Doc. #34 (stipulation); Doc. #36 (order on stipulation).
- 4. On December 22, 2014 and May 4, 2015, orders were issued to further extend defendant's evaluation to determine if competency could be restored. Doc. #62; #72.
- 5. It was subsequently determined that the defendant's competency could not be restored. Accordingly, the United States Attorney's Office in Springfield, Missouri filed a sealed petition for mental status (Case NO. 6:15-cv-03438-MDH at Doc. #1) in October of 2015. The defendant as subsequently completed a mental health evaluation. See 6:15-cv-03438-MDH Doc. #6 (Order); Doc. #8 (Sealed Evaluation Report [sealed]).
- 6. On July 22, 2016, Magistrate Judge David P. Rush issued a report and recommendation (R&R) regarding the civil commitment of the defendant. 6:15-cv-03438-MDH at 13. The R&R was adopted by District Court Judge M. Douglas Harpool on August 2, 2016.
- 7. The defendant has been civilly committed in the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri and is awaiting placement at a state facility in accordance with 18 U.S.C. §§ 4241 and 4245.

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Consequently, the United States moves this court to dismiss the indictment against the defendant without prejudice. Dated this 7th day of September, 2016. Respectfully submitted, DANIEL G. BOGDEN UNITED STATES ATTORNEY //s// CRISTINA D. SILVA Assistant United States Attorney **ORDER** IT IS SO ORDERED. DATED this day of September, 2016. Sr. U.S. District Judge